



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE THE APPLICATION OF: :

Erkin Abdullayev et al. :

EXAMINER

SERIAL NO. 10/810,428 :

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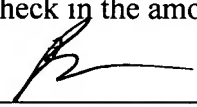
FOR: METHOD AND APPARATUS OF CORNEA EXAMINATION

REQUEST FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME TO REPLY

Hon. Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

The applicant hereby petitions the commissioner of Patents and Trademarks to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated June 7, 2004, for three months, from August 7, 2004 to November 7, 2004. The response includes a new declaration, and a letter designating that the actual photos may be discarded. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$490.00.



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CERTIFICATE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.8(a)

I hereby certify that I deposited this correspondence, including the request for extension of time, and the new declaration and statement regarding photographs with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail, in an envelope addressed to:

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this November 7, 2004.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "B. Sylvester", written over a horizontal line.

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